Agricultural Marketing Service Stop 0253, Room 2610-S 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20250-0253

BIDS ARE DUE FRIDAY, January 16, 2009

DATE: January 12, 2009

CANNED TUNA, ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127, INVITATION NO. 037:

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers pursuant to ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127 as amended, to sell Canned, Chunk, Light Tuna (12 ounce cans) for use in Federal food and nutrition programs. Purchases will be made on a delivered basis to destinations indicated herein. The product must arrive at the destinations within the delivery period. Destination quantities are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

Bidders are reminded that extra precautions should be taken to make sure product does not reach destinations in a frozen state.

All offers must be in the format prescribed in LS-127 and be submitted electronically via the internet. Offers must be received by 1:30 p.m., CENTRAL TIME, Friday, January 16, 2009. Acceptances will be announced by midnight Friday, January 23, 2009. Deliveries are to be made in six periods between April 1 and June 30, 2009.

Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The internet address is: https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?
Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call 202-720-2650 for assistance.

Inquiries about ANNOUNCEMENT LS-127 or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; Livestock and Seed Program; USDA, AMS, Stop 0253; Room 2610-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250; Telephone: 202/720-2650; Fax: 202/720-9538.

ANNOUNCEMENT : LS127 INVITATION : 037

COMM GROUP : 27 FISH, CANNED

COMM TYPE : 10 TUNA, CHUNK LIGHT/WATER, CND

PACK SIZE : 14 24/12 OZ CAN

	DESTINATION CITY								
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/09 - 04/15/09									
001	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	3,600					
002	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,800					
003	DALLAS LAREDO MCALLEN	TX TX TX	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	846 630 324					
005	DENVER GREELEY COLORADO SPRING DENVER CARTHAGE FARGO	CO	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	463 1,174	NO	PALLET	EXCHANGE		
800	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	1,800					
010 011	FRESNO SACRAMENTO MODESTO SACRAMENTO	CA CA CA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	1,800 1,800 900 900					
DELI	DELIVERY PERIOD 04/16/09 - 04/30/09								
012 013 014	BOSTON BRENTWOOD BRONX	MA NY NY	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	1,800 1,800 1,800					
015 016 017 018 019	BALTIMORE ALTOONA COAL TOWNSHIP PHILADELPHIA ALTOONA WILKES-BARRE	MD PA PA PA PA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	5,400 3,600 1,800 3,600 900					
020	LITTLE ROCK NORFORK		TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	1,475 325					
021	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,800	NO	PALLET	EXCHANGE		

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ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	N ST 	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)			
DELIVERY PERIOD 05/01/09 - 05/15/09							
023	ATLANTA CREEDMOOR SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONL	Y 1,800			
025 026 027	FORT WORTH HOUSTON ODESSA	TX TX TX	TRUCK ONL TRUCK ONL TRUCK ONL	1,800 Y 1,800 Y 1,800			
028 029 030 031	GARDEN GROVE SAN DIEGO LOS ANGELES SACRAMENTO SEATTLE TACOMA	CA WA	TRUCK ONL	900 Y 900 Y 1,800 Y 1,800 Y 1,257 Y 543			
	OLYMPIA TACOMA VANCOUVER CARTHAGE	WA WA	TRUCK ONL	1,440 Y 86 Y 274 Y 1,800		EXCHANGE	
DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/09 - 05/31/09							
034	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONL	ıy 1,800			
035	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONL	3,600			
036	OLYMPIA SPOKANE YAKIMA	WA	TRUCK ONL TRUCK ONL TRUCK ONL	Y 519			

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DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/09 - 06/15/09								
037	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
038	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800	NO	PALLET	EXCHANGE
039	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/16/09 - 06/30/09								
	BRENTWOOD CRANSTON							
042	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
043	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
044	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800	NO	PALLET	EXCHANGE
045	HELENA	MT	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
046	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK C	ONLY	1,800			
TOTA	L QUANTITY F	OR COMMO	DITY TYP	PΕ	93,600			
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				93,600				

/s/ Duane Williams_____

Duane Williams Contracting Officer

Livestock and Seed Program